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Tentative Agenda

Board of Managers' Meeting

Chevy Chase Village Hall

Monday, September 11, 2006 at 7:30 p.m.

Approval of Previous Minutes

Treasurer's Report

Committee Reports

Appeals

5508 Park Street

7 Primrose Street

37 Oxford Street

5600 Western Avenue

Old Business

New Business

Chairman's Report

Manager's Report

Police Report

Building Permits/Code Enforcement

Mark Your Calendar and

See the Enclosed Flyers Articles

September 3: Movies for Kids/

Happy Hour for Adults

Beginning September 9: Play Days-Oliver St. Park

Week of September 11: Fall Class Session Begins

October 4: LifeLine Screening Clinic

October 7: Chevy Chasing History Heritage Fair

October 11: Flu and Pneumonia Clinic

October 15: New Resident Social/Meet with Teens

October 15: Ellen's Run

October 20 & 21: Garden Club Flower Show

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Soon to be Mailed: 2006 Resident Survey

In preparation for the annual mid-year budget development work, all Chevy Chase Village residents will soon receive, by mail, a survey form and postage stamped return envelope. Through this survey of every household, the Village Budget Committee and Board of Managers will learn more about your degree of satisfaction with present Village services and also your thoughts on how these services might best be funded through tax dollars in the future.

This survey is a significant opportunity to help shape and improve the quality of life for all Village residents. Each and every survey response is important. Please take a few moments when it arrives to complete the survey and return it in the envelope provided.

If you have any questions after receiving the survey, please contact the Village Office at (301) 654-7300. Please remember that the Village Board and management value your opinion and invite your candid response.

Chevy Chase Center Update

Most of the retail stores have been open for some time now. The new Giant with pharmacy is expected to open shortly after Labor Day. Potomac Pizza and Giffords Ice Cream are open and three new restaurants (Famosa, M Café and Sushi Ko) will open at various times after Labor Day. The former Hecht's will reopen as a Bloomingdale's in spring of 2007 along with two retail areas directly behind it. Further updates will be provided in future issues of the *Crier* as soon as they become available.

Brookville Road Working Group

Village staff and representatives from the engineering firm of Rummel, Klepper & Kahl and State Highway Administration (SHA) met in July to discuss Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) requirements in relation to the proposed pedestrian walkway along Brookville Road. This meeting resulted in an increased understanding of the ADA waiver process. SHA recommended that the Village develop a plan that incorporates additional width along the 3,000-foot long section of the walkway, limiting the number of proposed specific locations where ADA waivers would be required.

Additional information will be provided in the October issue of the *Crier* and on the Village website.

Chevy Chase Village Board of Managers' Meeting, 2nd Monday of the month, 7:30 p.m. at the Village Hall
Telephone: 301-654-7300, Fax: 301-907-9721, E-mail: ccv@montgomerycountymd.gov, Website: www.ccvillage.org

In The Village

Friends of Norwood Park

The lower playground is under construction and should be completed in time for the fall sports season! Thanks to the contributions from members of the community, this little playground was saved from destruction and will have brand new equipment and rubberized flooring for our families to enjoy.

In honor of the completion of this project, come join us on October 14 for a celebration with music and fun for the whole family! More details will follow. The party will be held in the late afternoon at the stone stage area and will continue the "Music in the Park" series that has received such positive responses.

As always, donations are encouraged to the Friends of Norwood Park (FoNP), which will make future concerts and improvements at Norwood Park possible. Personalized sponsorship bricks are again for sale. The proceeds from these bricks will be used to sponsor the concert series and provide a fund for future development of the park's facilities and landscape. Your donation is tax-deductible and may be made by contacting Adele Medina O'Dowd (adele.odowd@gmail.com) or Susan Milner (susanreynolds@hotmail.com) for a donor form.

New Law Affecting Tree Contractors

A bill passed by the Maryland General Assembly, effective October 1, 2005, requires all tree experts to be licensed through the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to **prune** and **remove** trees within the State. This law applies within the Village and is already being enforced.

The Village's Tree Removal Permit Application now requires the tree contractor's name, phone number and DNR license number. Permits will not be issued if the contractor has not been selected.

Village officers will also be verifying licensing for any crews seen pruning trees on private property. Any crews witnessed pruning without valid licensing will receive a State citation and fine, and will be escorted out of the Village.

For more information regarding this new regulation or to verify licensing for a desired tree contractor, please visit the DNR website at www.dnr.state.md.us or call them at (877) 620-8DNR. For questions regarding the law's application within the Village, please contact the Village office.

Board Discussion

At its September 11, 2006 meeting, the Chevy Chase Village Board of Managers will discuss an ordinance to amend Section 8-29 of the Village Code to require that all wires, cables, pipes, poles, transformers, equipment lockers and other utility structures in the public right-of-way must be located below grade. A copy of the proposed Ordinance is available on the Village website.

Residents are encouraged to submit questions and comments to ccv@montgomerycountymd.gov and to attend the discussion. The meeting begins at 7:30 p.m.

Board Actions - July 10, 2006 Board of Managers' Meeting

Minutes: June 12, 2006 Meeting: Approved.

Appeals: **A-5121—19 Grafton Street:** Replace the existing asphalt driveway with concrete pavers on: (a) private property, and (b) in the public right-of-way—Approved.

A-5122—14 West Irving Street: Install a driveway in brick pavers with: (a) a maximum width of eighteen feet (18') and length of twenty feet (20') on private property, and (b) a width of eighteen feet (18') in the public right-of-way and an apron that would increase the width to twenty-four feet (24') at the curbside—Continuance requested by applicants.

A-5118—142 Hesketh Street: Demolition of main residence—Approved. **A-5119—142 Hesketh Street:** Replace and widen the concrete driveway. The proposed driveway would have a total maximum width of twenty-five feet (25') and a length of twenty-seven feet (27') on private property at the apron entrance to the proposed garage—Approved.

A-1558—142 Hesketh Street: Removal of one Red Maple tree measuring 25.5 inches in diameter located in the rear yard of the property to accommodate a proposed new main residence—Approved.

Old Business: Resolution No. 07-01-06: Amendment of fee schedule—Continuance pending further modifications.

Resolution No. 07-02-06: An Ordinance to Amend Chapter 6 of the Chevy Chase Village Code to amend the schedule of fines to increase the fines for failure to obtain a permit and failure to obtain approval for modification of or deviation from approved plans—Continuance pending further modifications.

This is a synopsis of the Board's actions. To view an archive of the complete approved minutes from the Board's meetings, please visit the Village website at www.ccvillage.org and click on "The Board of Managers".

The Village Hall

Rent the Village Hall For Your Next Event

The Village Hall is the perfect setting for your next meeting or party and is available to all Village residents. Our two large rooms are available for:



- birthday parties,
- sweet 16 parties,
- weddings and wedding receptions,
- anniversary parties,
- graduation parties,
- bar and bat mitzvah receptions,
- business/organization meetings, and
- any event you can think of! There is even a small room to hold smaller children's birthday parties for a reduced rate.

The rates for rental of the two larger rooms are reduced for children's (ages 12 and under) parties. The Village Hall is sure to enhance your event. Please contact Doris Lyerly in the Village office for additional information and to reserve your date.

Health Screenings in the Village Hall

LifeLine Screening, America's leading provider of quality health screenings, will provide screenings for stroke/carotid artery, abdominal aortic aneurysm, peripheral arterial disease and osteoporosis in the Village Hall on Wednesday, October 4, 2006. These screenings are not typically available through your primary care physician. Pre-registration is required. See the enclosed flyer for more information.

Fall Class Session Begins

Classes resume in the Village Hall the week of Monday, September 11. We are again offering new classes this fall including Swing and Foxtrot Tango. See the closed flyer for additional information and to enroll. The enrollment form is also available on the Village website by clicking on "Village Hall".

Flu & Pneumonia Vaccine Clinic

The Village will host its annual flu and pneumonia vaccine clinic in the Village Hall on Wednesday, October 11, 2006 from 9:00 a.m. through 2:00 p.m. Additional information regarding the clinic will be provided in the October 2006 issue of the *Crier* and on the Village website.

A Salute to Chevy Chase

The Garden Club of Chevy Chase is celebrating its 80th Anniversary by honoring The Chevy Chase Historical Society on its 25th Anniversary with a judged Flower Show commemorating Chevy Chase's past. The Flower Show will feature flower arrangements interpreting Chevy Chase landmarks and horticulture specimens grown by Garden Club of Chevy Chase members with history references for both divisions supplied by The Chevy Chase Historical Society. The show will open to the public at no charge in the Chevy Chase Village Hall, 5906 Connecticut Avenue, Chevy Chase, Maryland 20815 on Friday, October 20, 2006 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Saturday, October 21, 2006 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

The Garden Club of Chevy Chase came into being at the home of Mrs. William I. Corby in 1926. In 1932 the club joined the Maryland Federation of Garden Clubs (now known as the National Capital Area Garden Clubs) and became a member of the Garden Club of America in 1955.

Since its inception, the garden club has worked to benefit the communities of the Chevy Chase and Washington, D.C. areas. Garden club members have contributed to civic projects through work and fundraising. The more recent beneficiaries include The First Ladies' Rose Garden, the Butterfly Garden on the Mall, The Chesapeake Bay Foundation, Friends of Chevy Chase Circle, the National Center for Children and Families in Bethesda, the Chevy Chase Library and the Casey Tree Project in D.C. The first noted community project for the club took place in 1931 with a tour of 22 gardens open to the public for the benefit of the Montgomery County Social Service League.

With the objectives of the club set forth at its founding still providing focus for the Garden Club of Chevy Chase today, the members continue to stimulate knowledge and love of gardening and encourage civic planting.

Building Facilities Commission

The Building Facilities Commission meets the second Monday of each month at 9:30 a.m. in the Village Hall. Their next meeting will be held on September 11. All residents are invited to attend.

In The Village

Welcome Back! Please remember to collect your mail/packages from the Communications Center, which is open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.



Montgomery County 2006-2007 School Year Calendar

—2006—

August 28: First day of school.
September 4: Labor Day-No School.
September 12: Gubernatorial Primary-No School.
September 27: Grading/Planning-Early release K-12.
October 2: Yom Kippur-No School
October 20: MSTA Convention-No School
October 31: First marking period ends
November 1: Professional day-No School
November 7: General Election-No School
November 9: Parent Conferences-Early release K-8
November 10: Parent Conferences-Early release K-8
November 23 & 24: Thanksgiving-No School
December 25: Christmas-No School
December 26-29: Winter Break

—2007—

January 1: New Year's Day-No School
January 15: Martin Luther King, Jr. Day-No School
January 19: Second marking period ends
January 22: Professional day-No School
February 1: Report cards distributed
February 19: Presidents Day-No School
February 27: Grading/Planning-Early release day-K-12
March 26: Third marking period ends
March 27: Professional day-No School
April 2-5: Spring Break
April 6 & 9: Easter-No School
April 11: Report cards distributed
May 28: Memorial Day-No School
June 14: Last day of school
June 22: Report cards mailed

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School Contingency Calendar

If the school year should be disrupted by emergency closings, the school year will be extended as follows:

- ♦ 5 days-school extended to June 15
- ♦ 6 days-school extended to June 18
- ♦ 7 days-school extended to June 19
- ♦ 8 days-school extended to June 20
- ♦ 9 days-school extended to June 21

July 4th Parade to the Park a Success!

The Parade was another huge success with both the young and the young at heart in attendance.

Special thanks to Lucy Blundon, Katy Marra and Ben Yeo that assisted with the distribution of popcorn, cotton candy and Italian ice and, as always, to the Village Public Works staff and Administrative Assistant Doris Lyerly, all of whom were key to the event's success.

Photos from this year's event are available on the Village website.

Appeal & Crier Deadlines

The deadline to submit articles for the October 2006 issue of the *Crier* is close of business on Monday, September 25.

The deadline to submit appeals or other requests to be heard by the Board at its October 9, 2006 meeting is 5:00 p.m. on Monday, September 25.

Village Listserve

In order to create a direct way for the Village staff and Board to disseminate important information directly to residents personal computers, the Village staff is proud to introduce the Chevy Chase Village Listserve at Yahoo!® Groups.

To subscribe, go to www.groups.yahoo.com and click on Sign Up!, which will direct you to the Registration page. Follow the instructions to enroll. **IMPORTANT:** If you do not already have a Yahoo!® email address and/or if you do not wish to obtain a Yahoo!® email address, you must **uncheck** the "Create my free Yahoo!® email address" checkbox on the Registration page.

The listserve will be closely monitored. Any users considered to be offensive or inappropriate will be blocked from the listserve.

Listserve have become quite popular as convenient tools for sharing information. Village residents can post contractor recommendations, offer tickets or items for sale, spread the word on upcoming yard or bake sales and any other topic residents wish to discuss. All residents are encouraged to enroll in this new service. If you have any questions or need assistance enrolling, please email Shana Davis-Cook in the Village office at: shana.davis-cook@montgomerycountymd.gov.

In The Village

Committee on Children, Youth and Families

September is here and we're gearing up for another year of fun events. To kick off the fall, join us on Sunday, September 3 at 5:00 p.m. in the Village Hall for movies for the kids and a Happy Hour for the adults.

Starting September 9, send your kids to the Oliver Street Park on Saturdays from 10:00-11:30 a.m. for fun and games.

On Sunday, October 15 from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. CYF will have back-to-back events in the Village Hall. First, come meet the teens in the neighborhood who are available for such services as babysitting, yard work, pet care, etc. and then stay for the Fall Social!—a wonderful opportunity to meet and welcome new residents as well as catch up with the old.

The Committee is looking for a new leader for the Toddler Group. Thank you so much to Elizabeth Bausch, who has done a wonderful job as Chief of the group for the past couple years. The group has been meeting on Thursdays from 11:00 a.m. to 12 noon, but this day and time are flexible. If you are interested in leading the Toddler Group or if you have any questions regarding the above events, please email the CYF Co-Chairs Amy Cooper at acbelle@aol.com or Karen Spangler at karenspangler@comcast.net.

Changes to the Village Website

Village staff has been making strides to improve functionality of the Village's website. All Village forms and applications are available for residents to print and submit either by mail, fax or walk-in. Several applications and forms are now available for download directly from the site under the "Online Forms Center". These include the House Check Request Form, Public Works Work Order Form (for Special Pick-Up Requests) and Emergency Contact Form.

In April, the payment processing service *PayPal* was added to the site to allow residents to submit payments along with forms and applications under the "Online Forms Center" such as the Building Permit, Tree Removal Permit, and Dumpster Permit Applications.

If you have questions, concerns or comments regarding the Village website, please contact the website administrator, Shana Davis-Cook, in the Village office at: shana.davis-cook@montgomerycountymd.gov.



Cardboard Box Collection

Flattened boxes that are approximately less than the size of a 13" television set, should be placed with your paper recycling. Five or more flattened boxes should be bundled when left for recycling. Please notify the Communications Center if they are not collected.

If you have a large amount or large-sized boxes, please request a Special Pick Up (SPU, see article on the back cover) to ensure collection. Cardboard boxes collected by SPU, are placed in the paper compactor located in the Public Works Yard and are recycled.

Latex Paint Disposal



Montgomery County Solid Waste Management no longer allows the collection and disposal of latex paint along with other hazardous waste. This means that the Village Public Works Department is not allowed to collect latex paint.

The only authorized disposal procedure is to remove the tops from latex paint cans and allow the contents to dry. Once completely dried, the tops should be replaced and the cans placed with the regular trash (see below). Any questions regarding this procedure should be directed to the Communications Center. We thank you for your cooperation in advance.

Suggestions for Leftover LATEX Paint...

Use It Up! Donate unopened cans of paint. Many schools, communities, religious and theater groups will accept unopened cans, especially white paint. Even a neighbor may need some extra paint. Also, check your paint store's policy on returning unopened cans of paint.

Pass It On! Small amounts of paint can be mixed with other colors or bulked together and used as a primer coat or on jobs where the final finish is not critical. Avoid waste, buy only what you need.

Dry It Up! Simply remove the lid and place it in a safe, well-ventilated area. Cans with 1/4 or less paint in them will dry in a few days. For cans with greater volume, add mulch, cat litter, or "Waste Paint Hardener™" available at all McCormick Paint Stores and most area hardware stores.

Community News

Save the Date!!

Dialogue on Pedestrian Safety Solutions

Monday, September 25 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at the
Friendship Heights Village Center Auditorium
(4433 South Park Avenue, Chevy Chase)

*Hosted by the Montgomery County
Pedestrian Safety Advisory Committee*

Neighborhood 5K Run/Walk in the Name of Chevy Chase Resident, Ellen Schneider, to benefit the B-CC High School Community Scholarship Fund and Mental Health Association of Montgomery County



On Sunday, October 15, 2006, friends and neighbors of Chevy Chase Section 5 resident Ellen Schneider will hold a 5K run/walk for adults, kids and dogs at Candy Cane City in Rock Creek Park. A fun run for kids will take place after the start of the race. Ellen, who passed away in February, was a beloved Woodbine Street resident for 18 years whose involvement in our community touched and inspired many. The proceeds from the race will be donated to the B-CC High School Community Scholarship Fund and the Mental Health Association of Montgomery County, two of the groups that Ellen supported. The B-CC High School Community Scholarship Fund is a program designed to help students close the financial gap between the actual costs of college and other scholarships and loans they receive. The Mental Health Association of Montgomery County (MHAMC) promotes mental wellness and supports those with mental illness by sponsoring and implementing education, advocacy and community service programs.

Bring kids of all ages and canine companions (on leashes) to join your neighbors in support of these two great causes. The race begins at 9:00 a.m. Sunday, October 15 with a celebratory banquet following. The cost is \$20 for adults, \$10 for kids 3-12 years. Dogs and children under 3 are free. Registration forms are available online at www.mhmac.org, under "Ellen's Run". If you have questions about the race please contact Nancy Wolfson at (301) 657-2314. Or if you would like to volunteer email Alex Sunter, Alexasunter@msn.com or call (301) 652-8184. Hope to see you all there!

Proposed Development: River Road/Westbard Area

The property along Westbard Avenue was sold in 2004 to a new owner who plans to redevelop the property as an "urban center". If the Planning Board and the County Council approve redevelopment of the Westbard corridor for such high density, mixed commercial/residential use, the quality of life (traffic, school capacity, environment, etc.) of the surrounding communities will be affected.

The Westbard property is part of the River Road/Westbard Sector Area, which includes not only the commercial and multifamily homes along Westbard Avenue, but also the commercial properties and multi-family homes along River Road and Little Falls Parkway. The Westbard Sector Area is a portion of an amended Bethesda/Chevy Chase Master Plan, which is a subset of the larger Montgomery County General Plan.

Within the next year the County planners are preparing to review and possibly make major changes to the zoning and land uses for the River Road/Westbard Sector Area. Under the auspices of the Citizens Coordinating Committee on Friendship Heights (CCCCFH), representatives from local civic associations surrounding the River Road/Westbard Area have formed an ad hoc committee to monitor this process and to actively speak on behalf of our communities.

To be sure your views are accurately represented, we are asking for your help as we begin this process. We need to know your thoughts and ideas about what you like and what you would want changed in the River Road/Westbard Area.

We ask that you take 10-15 minutes to complete an online survey at www.westbard.org. We are requesting one survey to be completed per household. This information will be used to form a "citizen vision" for how we want our neighborhood to better serve our needs and to address our concerns.

Thank you for your help.

*The Survey Subcommittee of the Ad Hoc Committee
for the River Road/Westbard Area.*

Police Beat—Chevy Chase Village

To e-mail Police Chief Roy Gordon: roy.gordon@montgomerycountymd.gov

Emergency Phone Activated

An emergency phone has been installed at the entrance to the Buffer Park located between the Village and the Chevy Chase Center shopping center at the far west side of the Village (dead end of Montgomery Street). This phone was installed so residents can contact the Communications Center directly to request emergency assistance or to report immediate suspicious activity.

The emergency phone does not have a handset. Callers simply press the red "PUSH FOR HELP" call button to activate the phone. Upon activation, this phone rings directly to a phone in the Communications Center. The Communications Clerk answering the call will take the pertinent information and dispatch an officer to the scene. The Communications Clerk will remain on the line with the caller until the officer arrives on the scene.

This phone is strictly for emergency purposes. If a resident witnesses a situation or needs to provide information to the Communications Center or administrative office that is NOT an emergency, they should NOT use this phone. Please contact the Communications Center/administrative office from another phone to report non-emergency information.

Any questions or comments regarding the new emergency phone should be directed to Police Chief, Roy Gordon, at: roy.gordon@montgomerycountymd.gov.

Leash Law Enforced

On September 20, 2005, the Montgomery County Council voted to require residents to leash dogs in public. The law states that a dog must be leashed in public places unless the area is designated as a dog exercise area or the dog is participating in a supervised dog activity such as a dog show. The law became effective immediately. Fines for dogs off leash begin at \$100 for the first offense and go up to \$500.

Montgomery County has three dog exercise areas—Black Hill Regional Park, Ridge Road Recreational Park and Wheaton Regional Park. For more information, visit the MC Park and Planning website at www.mcparkandplanning.org. Residents are asked to be courteous and not allow dogs to urinate on neighboring properties, which can destroy the grass.

Back to School Safety Tips for Parents and Children



It's that time of year. Summer has ended and children are headed out for another year of school. In order to ensure your child's safety, please remember these important safety tips.

Bus Stop Safety

Parents, whose children ride the bus to school, should take an active role in ensuring that children are transported to and from school safely and promptly, and that discipline and safety are maintained at bus stops.

Please check the times, locations, and route numbers for your child. Make note of any schedule changes which have been implemented for this year. Route numbers are displayed on the side window of each bus.

Drivers should remember that failure to yield to a stopped school bus that is operating alternately flashing red lights comes with a \$555.00 fine and carries a minimum of three points. Village officers have increased patrol of school bus stops to catch violators.

Numerous news articles at the end of the 2004-2005 school year documented the growing problem of speeding and reckless school bus drivers. If you have a concern regarding the operation of a Montgomery County school bus, please contact the MCPS transportation office at (301) 840-8130 or the Safe Schools Hotline (301) 517-5995.

Bicycle and Walking Safety Tips

Students, who ride bicycles or walk to school, should follow some simple guidelines for safety:

- Always wear a helmet while riding a bike. County law requires that all children ages 17 and under wear a helmet while riding or being carried on a bicycle.
- Be cautious of vehicles and pedestrians, especially at intersections. Obey traffic signals and signs at all times.
- Walk or ride to school with a partner.
- Where available, students should always use sidewalks.

Community News



Chevy Chase Community Library September 2006

The Chevy Chase Library is located at 8005 Connecticut Avenue. All programs are free. For further information or for reservations, contact the library at (240) 773-9590.

Great Books Discussion Group: MOBY DICK by Melville. Wednesday, September 13 at 7:30 p.m.

Family Fun Day: Saturday, September 16

9:30 a.m. BORN TO READ-Rhymes, songs, bounces, movement and short stories for newborn to 18 months;

10:30 a.m. MUSIC TOGETHER WITH NANCY

NUTTLE-Enjoy musical activities with the whole family, geared to young children, from birth to age 4;

11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. CRAFT-MAKING and FACE PAINTING;

1:00 p.m. "ON THE BALL, SPINNY"-Former Harlem Globetrotter Spencer Johnson amazes all with his basketball tricks;

3:00 p.m. STEVENS PUPPETS-presents a marionette production of a classical tale.

VOTER REGISTRATION THROUGHOUT THE DAY!

Toddler Times: Stories, rhymes and other activities for ages 18-36 months. (Seating is limited and free tickets will be distributed before each program.)

Tuesday, September 19 at 10:15 and repeat at 11:00 a.m.;

Thursday, September 21 at 10:15 and repeat at 11:00 a.m.;

Tuesday, September 26 at 10:15 and repeat at 11:00 a.m.;

Thursday, September 28 at 10:15 and repeat at 11:00 a.m.

Born to Read: Saturday, September 30 at 9:30 a.m.

Introduce your child (newborn to 18 months) to the joy of language and books with this program featuring rhymes, songs, bounces, movement and short stories. Funded by the Friends of the Library, Montgomery County, Inc.

Save the Date...

October 7, 2006

11 AM to 4 PM

Chevy Chasing History-A Heritage Fair

A celebration for the entire family at the
Leland Community Center

See the enclosed flyer for additional information.

Sponsored by the Chevy Chase Historical Society
in cooperation with the Leland Community Center.

REMINDERS

- Notify the Village office if you have a medical requirement for emergency services so we may alert utility companies working in the Village.
- Having your house number painted on the curb in front of your property is prohibited by Section 12-5 of the Village Code. Contractors painting on the Village curbs will be issued a municipal citation by the Village Police.
- Pursuant to Village Code Section 8-10, dumpster use requires a permit. Please remind your contractor that a permit must be received from the Village Office prior to placing a dumpster on private property. Dumpsters are prohibited on public property, including Village streets at ALL times. Dumpster switch-outs are prohibited in the Village's public right-of-way, including roadways.
- Contact the Village office prior to removing trees on private property or beginning any home improvement projects to discuss permit requirements.
- Grey recycle bin lids are available from the Communications Center. Please make sure your recycle bins are placed in an easily accessible location. If recycling haulers cannot find the bins, collection of recyclables may be hampered.
- Free "No Solicitors" stickers are available in the Village Office for residents wishing to put them in a window near the front door to their home. The sticker is in addition to the list maintained by Communications.
- Residents are encouraged to use the Community Bulletin Board, located in the Village Hall, for notices or advertisements, which must be approved by Village staff prior to posting.
- Please remind your landscaping and home improvement contractors that work is not permitted prior to 8:00 a.m. on weekdays and 9:00 a.m. on weekends.

MVA on Wheels

The Maryland Motor Vehicle Administration's mobile service will be at the Friendship Heights Village Center on Monday, September 25, 2006 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

In addition to license renewals, motorists may drop off old tags and avail themselves of several other services. For schedule or additional information, visit the MVA website at: www.mva.state.md.us/location/montctv.htm or by phone at 1 (800) 950-1682, ext 2.

Public Works Department/Trash Schedule

While several Village residents have called to compliment the Unity staff for a job well done, your input is important when we evaluate our contracted services. Please report missed services to the Communications Center at (301) 654-7300. Please leave your gates unlocked so the Unity staff can enter your property to collect your refuse and recycling.

Special pickups are made on Wednesdays. Residents must submit their request either by phone or via the Village website by 2 p.m. on the preceding Tuesday to ensure pick up.

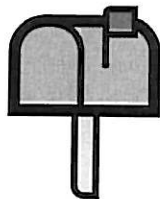
There will be no trash collection on Monday, September 4 in observance of Labor Day. Collection will slide one day so Monday's collection will be made on Tuesday; Tuesday's collection will be made on Wednesday; Wednesday's collection will be made on Thursday; Thursday's collection will be made on Friday; and Friday's collection will be made on Saturday.

Recycling collection for residents WEST of Connecticut Avenue will be collected on Thursday, September 7.

Recycling collection for residents EAST of Connecticut Avenue will be collected on Friday, September 8.

Special pickups will be collected on their regularly scheduled day, Wednesday, September 6.

Chevy Chase Village
5906 Connecticut Avenue
Chevy Chase, MD 20815



Chevy Chase Village 2006 Resident
Survey Coming Soon!
See cover article for details.

Building Permits Issued by the Village Manager July/August 2006

31 W. Irving St.....	Replace/relocate fence
22 Grafton St.....	Replace driveway
114 Hesketh St.....	Install external a/c compressor
3922 Oliver St.....	Reseal driveway
113 Summerfield Rd.....	Replace front walkway, extend rear terrace
4023 Oliver St.....	Install gas furnace in basement
5416 Center St.....	Install rear patio
3810 Bradley La.....	Replace 2-story addition with basement, remodel
1 E. Kirke St.....	Patio, trellis, walkway, planter wall, drainage, driveway
6000 Connecticut Ave.....	Install drain pipe to waterproof basement
31 Oxford St.....	Install sprinkler system
4021 Oliver St.....	Replace wood trim
3 Grafton St.....	Renovation and addition
124 Hesketh St.....	Replace 42-inch high picket fence
4029 Oliver St.....	Install irrigation system
5802 Cedar Pkwy.....	Replace asphalt driveway
6309 Broad Branch Rd...	Install below grade areaway to access basement
4 W. Kirke St.....	Replace granite walkway
5615 Kirkside Dr.....	Replace fencing on property
33 W. Lenox St.....	Install retaining wall in rear yard
119 E. Melrose St.....	Interior renovation

Administrative Office Closed—September 4

The Village Administrative Office will be closed on Monday, September 4, in observance of Labor Day.

The Communications Center and Police Department remains open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

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